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FOLD, DIRECT DRAWING	)	
METHOD OF IMPLICIT	)	
FUNCTION CURVED SURFACE	)	
AND PROGRAMS THEREOF	)	

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT (A)**

**BOX: PATENT APPLICATION**  
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Sir:

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